



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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**MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT:** Redlegation of the Authority to Perform Certain Functions and Responsibilities Under Registration Review

**FROM:** Debra Edwards, Ph.D.  
Director, Office of Pesticide Programs

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Debra Edwards".

**TO:** Steven Bradbury, Director  
Special Review and Reregistration Division

Janet Andersen, Director  
Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division

Lois Rossi, Director  
Registration Division

Frank Sanders, Director  
Antimicrobials Division

As authorized by the June 13, 2008 memorandum from the Assistant Administrator for Prevention, Pesticides, and Toxic Substances (OPPTS) and EPA Delegation 5-38, with the limitations specified in both those documents, I hereby redelegate to you, the Division Directors for the Special Review and Reregistration Division, the Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division, the Registration Division, and the Antimicrobials Division, the authority to perform the functions and responsibilities relative to the periodic review of pesticide registrations as mandated in section 3(g) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA).

This authority may not be redelegated further except that the authority to grant or deny requests for time extensions or data waivers relating to Data Call-in notices issued in conjunction with registration review may be redelegated to the Branch Chief level or equivalent, and may not be redelegated further.

In exercising this authority, please remember that we are each responsible for ensuring compliance with all current regulatory statutes, executive orders, and presidential memoranda, as well as any applicable internal Agency requirements and procedures. The OPPTS Assistant Administrator has also asked that I inform him of any redelegation and any significant issues that appear to be developing relative to the periodic review of any particular pesticide registration, or generally in exercising this authority.

As requested, we are sending a copy of the redelegation to Angela Hofmann, OPPTS lead for delegations, and she will include the redelegation in the AA's files for future reference. We are also sending copies for OGC's files to the attention of Philip Ross and Robert Perlis.

Should you or your staff have any questions about this redelegation or related expectations in implementing it, please contact Debby Sisco at 703-308-8121.

Attachment

cc: Angela Hofmann – OPPTS  
Robert Perlis – OGC  
Philip Ross – OGC  
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